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Captain Edgar A. Macklin Says His Men Did Not Do

MURDER OF THE CONDITTS

Crime Was Committed Near Edna, In Jackson County, but Court Granted the Negro a Change of Venue and Trial Held at Victoria.

Victoria, Tex., April 2.—The negro, Felix Powell, was hanged here this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock for the murder of Mildred Lee Condit, her mother and three other children near Edna, Sept. 28, 1905. Powell reached the gallows at 12:28. Being asked whether he had anything to say he replied in substance: "I know nothing I want to say. If it is the will of the Master and the laws of the country that I should be punished in this way for this crime I am willing to die. I have faith in the Lord Jesus and life hereafter." His speech was indistinct and only syllables could be heard. Sheriff Egg of Jackson county, adjusted the noose, Deputy Sheriff C. M. Davis of Lavaca, tied his feet and Sheriff R. S. Weisinger of this county sprung the trap at 12:30. At 12:45 Drs. Peterson and Lincecum pronounced him dead. His body was buried by the county. His pulse was 114 before he went on the gallows and beat the same a minute after he dropped. About 3,000 persons witnessed the execution.

THAW INCAPABLE.

Dr. Hamilton Says Defendant Cannot Rationally Advise Counsel.

New York, April 2.—District Attorney Jerome had a large array of witnesses awaiting the pleasure of the Thaw lunacy commission Tuesday. Among them was Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. The young woman was dressed in a dark brown cloth suit trimmed with leather of same shade. She wore a sailor hat and auto veil. The costume still maintained the school girl effect because of the flat linen collar, caught with a brown Windsor tie.

Dr. Charles F. Bingham, the Thaw family physician from Pittsburg, was also present. The other witnesses included Alfred W. Longfellow, an attorney, formerly employed by Thaw; Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, Dr. Austin Flint and most of the other alienists who appeared either for Thaw or the state at the trial.

Dr. Frank A. McGuire, the tombs physician, was the first witness called before the commission. He said Thaw's conduct was sensible. Other prison officials testified Thaw's manner since confinement was rational.

Dr. Hamilton was then called to the stand. Dr. Hamilton testified that in his opinion Thaw is not capable to understand the nature of the charge against him or rationally advising his counsel. Dr. Hamilton said Thaw suffers from chronic delusional insanity, otherwise known as paranoia.

Must Await Another Grand Jury.

Baton Rouge, April 2.—Congressman George K. Favrot, after several months in jail, during which the grand jury indicted him for the murder of Dr. Aldrich, culminating with the final quashing of this indictment by the supreme court, must now remain in prison several more weeks until another grand jury can reopen and act upon the whole matter.

Fifty Wounded, One Killed.

Nizhni, Russia, April 2.—Agrarian disorders have broken out in Sergachevsk. In an encounter with troops fifty peasants were wounded and a rural guard killed.

SHOOTING AT BROWNSVILLE

Washington, April 2.—The testimony Captain E. A. Macklin of Company C, Twenty-fifth infantry, was taken by the senate committee on military affairs Monday in the Brownsville investigation. It proved interesting, particularly for the reason that Macklin is to be tried by courtmartial after his return to Texas, and for the further reason that he was shot by an unidentified negro at Fort Reno after the negro soldiers were taken away from Fort Brown. Although there is no evidence to show that the Brownsville affray was responsible for the attack upon him, many persons have expressed the opinion that the two incidents are connected particularly as he was the first of the white officers to produce damaging evidence against the former soldiers. He does not now believe that the negroes were guilty of shooting up Brownsville, according to his story, told on the stand Monday.

Captain Macklin said that when the firing occurred on the night of Aug. 13 he was in bed in his quarters, having retired about 11:50 o'clock, and was not awakened until 12:55, some time after the firing had ceased. He then joined his company, and had charge of the guard the balance of the night. Early the next morning he made an examination of the garrison, and finding no damage, went outside the gate, and at the mouth of an alley not far from the garrison wall he found six cartridges clips and seven cartridge shells of the type used for the Springfield rifle. These shells were found in a circular space about ten inches in diameter, which, in reply to a question from Senator Foraker, he declared to be an impossible position unless they had been placed there by some one. After testifying at length concerning the incidents on the night of Aug. 13 Senator Foraker asked Captain Macklin if he had taken steps to discover who did the shooting. The witness replied that he had done everything possible, including the questioning of the men of his command. Senator Foraker then asked the witness to give his opinion as to who did the shooting. Hesitating a moment, Capt. Macklin said: "Well, I don't think the men did it."

Afterward he said that in their excitement and confusion the men might have fired a few shots from the barracks, but that he had seen nothing to indicate that they had done so, and he could not believe it possible.

At the afternoon session the witness was cross-examined principally as to his whereabouts when the shooting occurred and the evidence given by former negro soldiers that they had been unable to find the captain in his quarters when Major Penrose sent them to arouse him. Captain Macklin said that he did not believe the soldiers had come to his quarters. He said he had heard various reports as to where the men went, and his attorneys had talked with them about it and their statement would probably come out when he was tried by courtmartial. He was not pressed further on this point.

The shells which Captain Macklin picked up outside the garrison were put in his desk, he said, and were forgotten until after the battalion left Fort Brown. Search for them later had been unavailing. He testified that he had told all the facts connected with the finding of these shells to Major Penrose, Mayor Combe of Brownsville and to Major Blockson, inspector, but that he had not told Colonel Lovering of them because the colonel asked the witness to answer only such questions as were put to him.



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Jury Cases Have Been Concluded—Motion Docket Will be Called Pre-emptorily on Monday.

Yesterday afternoon the jury in the suit of N. B. Tucker vs. the Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company for damages for personal injuries, sustained while working for the company in this city a year or two ago, returned a verdict awarding the plaintiff judgment in the sum of \$1625.00. The suit was brought for \$1999.50, and the judgment in favor of the plaintiff at a previous trial was for \$1500.

This is the last jury case on the docket and Judge Scott will return to Franklin today for the remainder of the week. Judge Scott requests the Eagle to state that the motion docket will be called pre-emptorily on Monday morning.

PURCHASED GERMAN COACH MARE.

On his recent visit to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Rev. Nathan Powell of College purchased an imported German coach mare. There are only two of these mares in the state, the other having been purchased by a gentleman residing near San Angelo. It will be remembered that Rev. Powell is the owner of the celebrated German coach stallion, Fernando, now at Tucker's stable in Bryan.

While in Fort Worth Mr. Powell says he saw some half German coach colts, about one year old, which could not be bought for less than \$300. The opportunity is afforded to raise the same kind of stock in Brazos county.

SHOT SON FOR A BURGLAR.

News reached here yesterday of a most distressing incident which occurred in Navasota late Monday night. Taking his son for a burglar, Mr. J. L. Fraueklow shot the young man twice with a shotgun loaded with birdshot, one charge taking effect in the arm and the other in the leg. Fortunately the wounds are not regarded as very dangerous, according to the report.

PROGRESS OF THE REVIVAL.

Dr. Risner Preached Strong Sermons Yesterday Morning and Evening—Large Crowds Attending.

The revival at the First Baptist church is starting off auspiciously. Large crowds are attending especially at the night services, and much genuine interest is already being manifested. Dr. Risner is taking right hold of the situation like a man who knows how. He preached a sermon on "Soul Winning" especially to the Christian people yesterday morning, the key note of which was to go out into the highways and bring in those in need of salvation.

At the night service Dr. Risner spoke on "The Conditions of Present Day Evangelism." The minister showed that God is the same and the conditions have not changed since the day of Pentecost. Those who received a blessing on that wonderful occasion were there and met the conditions. Today men want the blessing but are unwilling to pay the price. The theme was effectively elaborated into a strong gospel appeal.

OFFICERS OF ST. ANDREW'S PARISH

At a meeting of communicants of St. Andrew's church Monday evening the following parish officers were elected for the ensuing year: Tyler Haswell, senior warden; G. S. Parker, junior warden; A. E. Dally, secretary; J. B. Hines, treasurer; G. S. Parker, superintendent Sunday school; Tyler Haswell, G. S. Parker, A. W. Wilkerson, A. E. Dally, J. T. Hines, J. B. Hines, T. K. Lawrence, Frank Clarke, J. W. English, vestrymen. A. W. Wilkerson and Tyler Haswell were elected delegates to the Episcopal council to be held in Waco in May. It was definitely determined at the meeting to erect the new church building on the site of the present church.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

The meeting of the Institute which was called on March 30 was attended by so few teachers that those present decided to postpone all business with reference to the arranging for a summer normal and voted another meeting for Saturday, April 6, at 10:30 at which meeting this matter will be attended to. All teachers are urged to be present at the court-house at the appointed hour.

CITY ELECTION RESULTS

At the city election held yesterday all the democratic nominees of the city primary previously held were elected without opposition, as follows: Frank Clarke, city secretary; T. P. Boyett, city marshal; G. M. Brandon, J. B. Priddy and W. E. Saunders, aldermen. A total of 112 votes were cast for all officers except two of the aldermen who received 111 each.

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A. and M. Boys Shut the Visitors Out With a Score of 11 to 0—Play State University Friday and Saturday.

The A. and M. boys took revenge with interest yesterday for their slight defeat Monday by the Southwestern University team of Georgetown. The visitors were shut out yesterday with a score of 11 to 0 in favor of the A. and M.

The next games, which will probably be the biggest and best of the season, will be played at the College Athletic grounds on next Friday at 4:30 p. m. and Saturday at 4 p. m., when the A. and M. team will play the State University team from Austin. The University team is said to be in fine shape, and good, snappy baseball is expected.

TABOR CONVICTED.

Adjudged Guilty of Robbing Cotton Belt Train and Gets Life Term. New Boston, Tex., April 2.—Phil E. Tabor, who has been on trial here for several days, charged with robbing the express car of a Cotton Belt railway train, during which time Messenger Grisette was so seriously wounded as for some time to hover between life and death, finally recovering, was adjudged guilty by the jury and his punishment assessed at life imprisonment.

After Part Towed In.

London, April 2.—A dispatch from the Lizard announced that the White Star line steamer Suevic, which went ashore near the Lizard March 27, was cut in two by means of the extensive use of dynamite so that her after part was finally severed and towed into port. Her fore part is firmly imbedded on the reef.

Landslide For Democrats.

Winona, Minn., April 2.—The municipal election proved a landslide for the Democrats, every city office going to the candidates of that party. E. S. Muir was elected mayor over J. T. Liberia, independent, by about 1,200 majority.

Shoots Himself to Death.

Omaha, April 2.—A. B. Jaquith, a prominent grain commission man and one of the original promoters of the Omaha Grain Exchange, shot and killed himself at his home. His suicide was attributed to discouragement over recent adverse transactions. He was about forty-five years old.

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The Automobile Is the Marvel of the Age

By ELLIOT C. LEE.
President Massachusetts Automobile Club.

EXT to the locomotive engine, I believe that the automobile is the greatest invention affecting the means of transportation that has been made in a hundred years. The automobile, indeed, has advantages over the locomotive, and as time goes on these advantages will be more pronounced.

It is true that there are some defects in the motor car as at present constructed, but it must be remembered that motoring has been really practical for only a very short time, while the improvements that have been made in the original type of machine have been extraordinary. We may reasonably expect very much greater improvement as time goes on.

The automobile was once the property only of the rich, and it is still very, but it is certain to be within the reach of the person of moderate means and even of the average wage-earner. It will come about so that a number of workmen can club together and hire an automobile that will take each man to the door of his place of employment in the morning and to the door of his home in the evening.

A convenience of this kind will enable the dwellers in the congested cities of the large cities to live in the country, and will go far toward solving the much-discussed tenement-house problem.

The perfected automobile will provide a solution for many problems of public health, in shortening and simplifying the distance between city and country, as the trolley already has done in its own line. It already enables a busy man to proceed at once from one point to another without being exposed in inclement weather for a steam or an electric car, and extension of its use will confer this benefit on the wage-earners as well.

Think of what the automobile has done and will do for the merchant who has goods to transport through a large city and its suburbs! He formerly used one or two horses to convey goods to a given point in the city, say, of two hours; the automobile will carry a greater quantity of goods to and back from the given point in the time that the horses would be taken to go there.

It is in this line of labor that the horse will be superseded by the automobile, and nobody can question that it will be a good thing for horse man.

The automobile will not catch cold or run away, it will not suffer from fatigue or the strain of ascending steep roads; it does not require to be blanketed or hitched while it stands. Most of the fear of it is largely imaginary, although somewhat natural to timid or nervous persons who have never used the machine is an unfamiliar thing.

In the hands of an untrained or reckless driver, the automobile may be a menace to public safety, just as horses have been in the past; but it is now in the same kind of hands, but it will be easy to correct these defects by proper legislation.

One objection to the automobile has been that it destroyed good roads. That is true in part, but only in part. The automobile improves the natural road by rendering it smoother and more compact, but it does not injure the macadam road. But that is only saying that we should have better roads, roads such as the ancients built which are firm and smooth to this day, not roads that are constructed for purely temporary use.

After all, there is no vehicle that does not injure the roads that we have constructed in this country, where road-building has been so long a neglected art.

Finally, we may ask, what are roads for? They are for the use of vehicles that have to traverse them, and if the automobile is found to be as I believe it will be, an indispensable agent of modern transportation, we must build the proper roads to accommodate it.

Compulsory Arbitration An Impossibility

By FRANK K. FOSTER.

the decision of arbitrators, but to compel them to agree to arbitrate, to back up this compulsion with the mailed hand of the power of the government is to vitiate the most prized product of civilization—individual freedom.

In issues arising between the public interest and holders of private property the state may properly enforce a species of compulsory arbitration, as it does through dooming boards, commissions, etc., upon the ground that the general welfare justifies the exercise of the right of eminent domain. The basic contention of the advocates of compulsory arbitration in industrial affairs is assumed to be a like principle, i. e., that the interest of the public is a paramount interest and may be conserved by forcing the conflicting parties to submit to compulsory arbitration.

But in industrial disputes something more is involved than property rights or public convenience, however indisputably valuable these may be. It is something more than a commodity. It has always attached to it human being, and to attempt to compel the deliverance of the labor commodity under such conditions as courts of arbitration may prescribe is to attempt to do something which the constitution of the United States forbids and which the spirit of the free labor of America would rise in universal revolt.

All over the land organized labor is protesting against the abuse of the powers of the equity courts exercised against the functions of trades unionism through the injunction process. This abuse has come from the fact that the courts are decreeing that the laws governing property rights may be applied to cases involving individual rights. Is it then to be wondered at that the trades unionists of America oppose compulsory arbitration, which would supplement the injunction process with mandatory boards which would be vested with power to yet further limit the use of free associated effort?

Compulsory arbitration must carry with it power to enforce the decisions of the arbitrators. Will any of its advocates explain how, if a decree could be rendered awarding judgment of longer hours or lower wages to workmen such a decree could be enforced without reestablishing "involuntary servitude" condition attendant upon chattel slavery? This is the entire question in a nutshell.

An Actress' Message to the Stage-Struck Girl

By JULIA MARLOWE.



There is no other profession more honorable than acting, there is no other art more exalted. The mediaeval prejudice against players has passed away. The young woman sacrifices neither dignity, position nor self-respect when she becomes an actress; to appreciative minds there can be no satisfaction as great as attempting to portray in actual life the characters drawn by great dramatists and poets; the art combines something of all the other arts, and in a way transcends them all, and, lastly, the woman who masters it is greater than a queen.

Now for the means. What is the course that will, with opportunity and ability, lead the budding actress to success? Hard question!

First, I should say, study, study, study! Nothing else will avail; no adventitious aids of good looks or graceful bearings—nothing but incessant toil over her part, plucking out the heart of its mystery.

As we have nothing in this country answering to the Paris Conservatoire, let the beginner, when she has learned the alphabet of her art, seek an engagement with a company playing classical plays. No other means of instruction open to her will be so valuable. She will learn, then, if she is observant and studious, the requirements of acting and wherein she and others fail to meet these requirements.

I suggest the classic drama because therein she is more likely to get a grounding in the rudiments. Mr. Irving said: "If one can play the legitimate one can play anything."

Never imitate any one. Be yourself. Hearing night after night the same persons recite the same lines in the same way, it will require careful watching at times to avoid falling into their peculiarities. Have a method and conviction of your own. Indeed, have a conviction—the method is likely to come of itself.

Never go beyond your feeling. If you would enlarge your action, you must first enlarge your feeling, and to do that, have recourse to the book, always the book.

The opinion we occasionally hear, that "it is only necessary to look well, for that is half the battle," is intrinsically erroneous, except, possibly, from the commercial point of view, which I wish to eliminate entirely from the present consideration of the subject.

Qualities that I should insist upon as necessary for a successful beginner are, first, a power to feel the character represented—an intellectual and moral discernment of the temperament of that character and the feeling and passions which move it, coupled with some appreciation of its proper outward expression, in cast of voice, figure and features.

A second quality I should require would be a measure of literary taste and cultivation; a sympathy with the beauties of language; a power of translating the mind of literature into feeling.

Public Service Hard to Fill

By RICHARD H. DANA.
President Massachusetts Civil Service Association.

cost of living has also recently increased and these reasons at least suggest why it is becoming more difficult to fill the public service.

The last report of the national civil service commission shows that, in the last year, though they had more positions to fill, they had 25,000 less applicants than the year before. The statistics show that the resignations and the declinations to take government positions on the part of those who have already passed the examinations are greater than ever before.

The person who has already passed an examination uses his high mark as a credential for private employment, and the bright young people who come into the service through the competitive system, after a few years of experience, are found by business men to be extremely valuable persons, and they tempt them out of the government service.

Again, the lower grades of the government service give relatively better pay than the higher, so that there is less future advancement to tempt a man to stay in the government service than there is in private employment. Several prominent members of congress have suggested that the salaries ought to be increased, and a number of eminent heads of departments and experienced government officials believe that there ought to be more permanent heads of bureaus with large salaries thrown open to promotion.

In the first place, our large government departments are remarkably lacking in permanent heads with large experience. Such positions could be filled by competent persons only in case the salaries were made attractive. The postmaster general, for example, has suggested that there should be a high grade, permanent assistant postmaster general.

I think, therefore, the civil service system, far from being responsible for a falling off has more clearly brought out than before the need of inducing the competent kind of persons it produces to accept and stay on in the government service.

Richard H. Dana

The Poorest Man

By DR. EMIL G. HIRSCH.

self under the influence of the larger life, the man who refuses to receive, the man who is self-satisfied at all times, who thinks his knowledge is sufficient and that he has learned all that may be of any possible help to himself. The richest man is he who will mingle with his fellow men, absorb the teachings of the wiser and attempt to understand the world and its people. The more that we people know of each other the richer we are.

The Acquiring of Big Fortunes Not a Menace

By JAMES H. ECKELS,
President Commercial National Bank, Chicago.



UBLIC sentiment in America is fast becoming such that financial success and the accumulation of wealth is considered a thing to be abhorred. I consider this attitude of the public as being the most alarming condition which the country is forced to face, working as it does toward class distinction, class bitterness and even anarchy.

Public sentiment is fast becoming so vitiated that it attacks men of wealth irrespectively and considers all men of wealth as dishonest and unscrupulous. They forget that there can be no such thing as dishonesty with an honest man. They forget that if a man is honest he will remain honest throughout his life, irrespective of any change in condition or environment.

What we must teach in our schools and must impress forcibly upon the minds of the coming generation is that honesty is the one essential to success—financial or otherwise—and that to become wealthy one need not sacrifice his honesty. We must so shape public sentiment that the people will be able to discriminate between the honestly wealthy and the dishonestly wealthy, and we must banish for all time the doctrine that if a man is rich he is necessarily dishonest. It is better that 99 dishonest men go unpunished than that one of integrity and honesty should be held up to public ridicule and scorn.

I do not say that all the large fortunes of to-day were acquired honestly, but I am going to say in all sincerity, that in the vast majority of cases the same honesty was applied in the gaining of them that you apply in the running of your schools and the teaching of the children placed in your charge.

People who criticize "swollen fortunes" unconditionally make themselves look foolish and ridiculous to men of the great business world. They show their absolute shallowness and lack of knowledge of the conditions underlying modern business transactions.

What's Wrong With the Small Boy

By JOHN HOWLAND.

street where a considerable number of these youths are congregated. While proverbially the fact is accepted that "boys will be boys," the impartial resident in almost any quarter of the modern city looks upon any considerable group of schoolboys anywhere in a public place as a potential factor for producing anything from annoying disorder to an incipient riot.

There is something of the precocious and affected in the city schoolboy—something suggestive of anything other than the innocence that belongs to his years. Study his actions a little in public and the false note will be felt. Feeling that false note, too, there is nothing reassuring in it. Boldness enters markedly into it. There is lack of anything approaching reverence for anything. There is vanity which clamors for the public eye, no matter at what cost of modesty and breeding. Presuming upon his youth and his numbers in any public place, this modern city youth gives rein to a counterfeit spirit of youthfulness which carries with it the jaded atmosphere of a wizened old age of rakish cunning and conceit. The exhibition is as painful as that other extreme in which the octogenarian at some settlers' reunion, encouraged by his doddering vanity, gets out upon the ballroom floor to go through the mazes of the dance.

The British and continental European long has criticised the lack of childishness in the American child. Within a dozen years the American neurologist and psychiatrist have been deploring the precociousness of the city child in America. The city youth in school, walled in by the conventional narrowness of his school fraternity and his own lack of perspective and sense of proportion, has come to be more a sociological problem than ordinarily is considered.

In the one fact that by virtue of his NUMBERS, only, the schoolboy may make himself obnoxious, one may read the viciousness of the idea. In the same fact, too, one may read the tendency toward undermining the individualism which later must mean so much to the youth of the world.

There are signs of reaction from the present schoolboy status. Innocent youthfulness anywhere in the individual will be smiled upon, always; the time is coming when the mob spirit of the schools will be dealt with in the measure of its deserts.

The wise youth who attempts to anticipate the inevitable will be taking a long step forward.



Enthusiasm Over the Cross

By REV. W. F. FABER,
Episcopal Minister, Detroit.

ter of intelligence, obedience and enthusiasm. Intelligence should be first, so that men should learn what to do, and why. Next should come obedience, calling for the exercises of will power, but enthusiasm should be mingled with them, the three faculties forming one man and one religion.

Fragmentary ideas of religion are harmful. The old catechisms described God as without passion, when he is angry every day. The ideal man is one who can get thoroughly angry—not vicious or destructive, but incensed at wrongs done, as Christ was when he drove the money changers out of the temple. This is a form of enthusiasm.

The reason the church has done so comparatively little is that it has lacked enthusiasm. We have dealt with religious things as though they were only intellectual.

It is enthusiasm that causes the pulse to quicken when the country faces a crisis and men are volunteering for service and that makes people want to die for their country when they see a military review. If people enthusiastic over religion are fools, these are fools. It is a great thing to be a fool for the right.

Dr. W. H. Lawrence

.. DENTIST..

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Drawers.....	10c
Suits.....	15c
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Nightshirts.....	10c to 25c
Socks, pair.....	5c
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Neckties.....	5c
Coats.....	20c to \$1
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Pants.....	20c to \$1
Dresses.....	50c to \$1
Waists.....	10c to \$1
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Errors occurring from exchange or loss of articles must be made known at the laundry within three days, accompanied by the list on which missing articles are charged, or no allowance will be made. Goods called for and delivered free of charge. Transient work done on short notice. A list of articles with the name should accompany each parcel, or our record must be taken as correct. Always send original list with complaints. Goods not called for within thirty days will be sold for charges.

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THE MORNING EAGLE

Entered at the Postoffice in Bryan, Texas
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BY CARNES & WALLACE

BRYAN, TEXAS, APRIL 3, 1907

Gold, assaying \$3.80 to \$6 per ton, has been struck in a quarry within the city limits of El Paso. It is estimated that \$80,000 worth of the gold ore has already been used in paving the streets, almost enough to pay for the work if it had been smelted and saved.—Alpine Avalanche.

The people of Texas evidently do not take the suggestion to destroy the Alamo and convert the property into a park seriously. If they did there would be a storm of protest that would make the earth tremble down to the sacred dust of the heroes whose blood stained its walls.

Senator Looney proposes a constitutional amendment to reduce the number of the members of the house of representatives to ninety-three and no more, fixing the salary at \$1000 per year for regular session year, and \$5.00 per day for special sessions held during the following year. The proposition looks good enough for us to say shake, Senator.

And now comes the M. K. & T. railroad with an appalling accident, the details of which appeared in the Eagle yesterday morning, it being alleged that the head-on collision, in which six men lost their lives and thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed, resulted from the failure of a telegraph operator to deliver a train order. Surely the demand for a law requiring the examination and registration of operators will shortly grow great enough to be heard and acted upon. A tragedy in Fort Worth caused the enactment of the gambling law. Will this catastrophe near that city induce the legislature to provide for registration of operators?

The bill re-enacting and making certain changes in the game protection law was passed to engrossment by the house. The proposed new law makes the open deer season during the months of October, November and December and limits the number to be killed to

three bucks. The open season for wild turkeys is January, February and March, and the number to be killed in one season is three, while under the present law twenty-five may be killed in one day. The Mexican chachalaca and prairie chicken are placed under the five-year protection clause. The quail and dove season, are made to conform, and the open season for these birds are fixed for December, January and February. The affidavit feature is amended so that a man can ship three days' killing home, instead of one, as at present.

BREVITIES BUNCHED.

Bartlett, Tex., will have a Chautauqua in May.

British government has a surplus of 1,944,307 pounds.

Slot machines have been taken out of all Galveston establishments.

Miss Bessie Parker suicided at Valdosta, Ga., by drinking laudanum.

Just northwest of Broken Arrow, I. T., anthracite coal will be prospected for.

Jim Caesar, 160 years old, said to be the oldest Shawnee, died near Ramona, I. T.

Four Paris, Tex., boys are successfully operating a wireless telegraph system.

An exhibition of moving pictures at Nashville of the Thaw trial has been stopped.

Citizens of Killeen, Tex., wrecked pool tables and poured out liquor in a club room.

President Roosevelt attended Easter services at St. John's Episcopal church, Washington.

John D. Rockefeller, is being deluged with alleged hair restorers and so-called dyspepsia cures.

All the stock for the proposed \$10.-00 peanut factory at Mount Pleasant, Tex., has been subscribed.

Sidney Clarkson, ten years old, a pupil of the deaf and dumb institute at Austin, was killed by a train.

Governor Frantz has announced his candidacy for the Oklahoma Republican gubernatorial nomination.

The New York Concrete Stone company of Guthrie and New York, capital stock \$200,000, has been chartered.

By the accidental discharge of a revolver at Oklahoma City John Wegers and R. M. Garrett were painfully shot.

The Tremont hotel at Tremont, La., was destroyed by fire. G. A. Tissions, Jr., and W. A. Reed were burned to death.

Oklahoma board of pharmacy, by ruling of Judge Burford, will not have the exclusive right to handle stock boards.

Eight miles north of South McAster Wesley Harmsby, a Choctaw, was found dead with a bullet hole through his body.

Robert Crisp, twelve years old, while making a swing on a peach tree, fell, became entangled in the rope and was hanged.

J. S. Grinnan Seed Farm company of Terrell, Tex., capital stock \$300,000, has been chartered. It will grow seeds on a large scale.

Calvin Wright was run over at Austin by an automobile driven by Dr. T. J. Bennett and died. The young man was riding a bicycle.

At Tishomingo, I. T., Charles Branch, charged with killing Jud Milburn, founders of the town of that name, was acquitted.

Prudence and good business judgment suggest that you should at all times keep your life and property well insured. Consult Jno. B. Hines for anything in the insurance line. Office in Smith Building! Phone 161. 24tf

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To show how much we appreciate the efforts of the Ladies' Aid Societies of the different churches in their benevolent work, we are going to give a portion of our gross sales for the first seven days of the next five months (April, May, June, July and August) to these societies to be divided equally. The Presidents of these Societies look on our plan with favor and have signed the following:

"We, the Presidents of the different and respective Ladies' Aid Societies, heartily approve and endorse the proposition of Mr. E. J. Fountain to give a part of his gross sales for the first seven days of each month for the next five months, beginning April 1st and ending August 31st."



Free Baptist Church..... Mrs. James L. Edge, President
Methodist Church..... Mrs. Mattie Webb, President
Baptist Church..... Mrs. Robert Webb, President
Christian Church..... Mrs. R. M. Wilson, President
Episcopal Church..... Mrs. F. M. Law, President

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THE QUALITY GROCER

WILL BORE FOR DEEP WATER.

The deep well drilling outfit of Gus Warnecke of Houston has been shipped to Hearne to sink an artesian well in that city for the Hearne Ice Cold Storage & Creamery Works. This reminds us that now is the time for Bryan people to get together, while there is a rotary rig in the city, and go after an artesian well if it takes ten or fifteen thousand dollars, and a hole 3000 feet deep to get. Bryan seems to be able to raise money easily for everything else except for water, the very thing of which the town stands most in need, and the thing which is essential to practically every other enterprise. If there is any one thing hampering the growth of the town more now than anything else it is the unsettled condition of the water problem.

The Eagle would like to see the present water works company get artesian water in inexhaustible quantity from the well abandoned some years ago at a depth of more than eight hundred feet; but even if they do this, another well will not be too much. We need all the water we can get for sewerage and for manufacturing enterprises, and the thousand and one things for which it is necessary.

Then, too, it has been suggested to the writer by more than one, there is the possibility that we might get hot water and enjoy all the benefits therefrom that have accrued to Marlin since the enterprising people of that city some years ago made themselves world famous by digging a deep hole in the ground. The water problem

is the most vital of our civic improvement problems and the present year should not be allowed to pass without it being solved.

NOTICE FROM PASTOR'S UNION.

At a meeting of the Pastors' Union last Monday morning it was decided that it was best for the churches not to dispense with any of the Sunday services during the revival meetings this spring. No one church will hold the congregation on Sunday evening when all the churches dismiss their evening service, and besides the tendency is to disorganize all the regular church services. The pastors are all agreed and perfectly harmonious in this conclusion.

It was also agreed not to have the Wednesday evening services during the present and succeeding meetings.

By order of Pastors' Union.
I. F. Betts, Sec'y.

SAN ANTONIO'S BEST

Effort at entertaining is made for the Annual Jolly Show, spring carnival, Knights of Omala and Battle of Flowers, week, April 16-20; many novel features this year. I. & G. N. R. R. will have in effect very low excursion rates to San Antonio.

See ticket agents,
D. J. Price, Geo. D. Hunter,
G. P. & T. A. A. G. P. & T. A.
Palestine, Texas.

Buy a Singer Sewing Machine and get one that will do good work for a life time. The cost on repairs for inferior machines will speedily make the cheaper machine the more expensive of the two, regardless of the difference in service and satisfaction in favor of the Singer. T. A. Satterwhite, Agent, Bryan, Texas. 88tf

TOOK ANOTHER PRIZE.

A. and M. Steer When Dressed Won the "Killing" Prize—Took Grand Championship Prize.

Prof. F. R. Marshall of the department of animal husbandry at the College has just been notified that another prize had been awarded to the cattle exhibited by the college at the Fort Worth Stock Show. This was the "killing" prize and is awarded to the animal that loses least weight in dressing when put on the butcher's block. This prize of \$25 was awarded to the steer exhibited by the College, which won the grand championship prize in the class of grade steers. The steer is reported to have dressed out 67.79 per cent. He sold for 11 3/4c and netted the college a total of \$277, including the prize money won by him.

More Ray Desired.

New York, April 1.—Members of the Thaw jury have drawn up a petition to Justice Fitzgerald asking him to allow them \$5 for jury services instead of the customary allowance of \$2 a day. Their action is based on the instance in which the court made a similar increase in the jury's allowance after the case had been continued an unusual length of time.

Mrs. Thaw Summoned.

New York, April 1.—When Mrs. Evelyn Thaw made her daily visit to her husband at the tomb Monday she was met by a process server, who handed her a subpoena directing her to appear before the lunacy commission Tuesday.

Stolen Diamonds Recovered.

Fort Worth, March 30.—Detective Cane recovered \$1,800 worth of stolen diamonds belonging to H. A. Bury. A negro man and woman were arrested.

While operating a new automobile at Oneta, N. Y., Mrs. E. S. Loveland, a niece of the late Collis P. Huntington, was killed. Her neck was broken.

Bill Mitchell, charged at Granbury, Tex., with killing Sam and Isaac Truett in Hood county in 1874, and arrested in New Mexico, gave \$6,000 bond.

Over 100 were shaken up and a brakeman badly hurt by a collision of a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train with a freight train near Fairmount, W. Va.

While John Solomon and Sam Mitchell, Louisville negroes, were shooting at each other on a street a stray bullet fatally wounded Mrs. Thomas Turner, a prominent lady. Solomon was also mortally wounded.

David Murphy, a railroad engineer, suicided at Fort Wayne, Ind. He left a not requesting to be buried beside "Chick" Stahl, his close friend, who suicided a few days before.

BADLY FIRE DAMAGED.

Residence of American Ambassador at Rome Barely Escapes Destruction. Rome, April 1.—While Lloyd C. Griscom, the American ambassador, and Mrs. Griscom were returning from the Easter services at the American church they saw smoke rising from the roof of their home, the Palazzo del Drago. Mr. Griscom hurriedly entered the building and found the servants were unaware that the palace was on fire. The ambassador led the way to



LOYD C. GRISCOM.

the attic. Flames burst forth as he opened the door and burned his hands and singed his eyebrows. When the firemen arrived the beams, which were put in the place centuries ago, were burning briskly. The roof over the attic collapsed, causing the center portion of the ceiling of the magnificent ballroom to fall. The furniture and paintings were quickly removed, but not before several of the latter, notably one of President Roosevelt, were damaged.

After working two hours the firemen succeeded in checking the flames. The loss is estimated at \$10,000 and covered by fire insurance.

DECISION AFFIRMED.

Inability of Juror to Read and Write English the Reason.

New Orleans, April 1.—Inability on the part of a juror to read and write the English language resulted in a decided turn in the case of Congressman-elect George K. Favrot of the Sixth district of Louisiana, who has been confined in jail for several months charged with the murder of Dr. R. H. Aldrich at Baton Rouge last summer. In the district court the demurrer to the indictment was sustained on the ground that one member of the jury, an Italian, could neither read nor write the English language. The state appealed the case to the supreme court.

Favrot is alleged to have shot and killed Dr. Aldrich for aspersions he believed Aldrich to have cast on his

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in our store and an unexcelled stock of pure drugs are a sufficient guarantee of the accuracy and promptness of our prescription work. Our stock includes everything pertaining to the drug business. Phone 45 2 rings.

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PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE
 3 North bound.....1:38 p. m.
 5 North bound.....12:46 a. m.
 2 South bound.....3:40 p. m.
 6 South bound.....2:48 a. m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE
 102 North bound.....10:20 a. m.
 101 South bound.....5:05 p. m.

J. R. Hartgraves came over from Caldwell yesterday.
 Ice Cream Freezers and Water Coolers at Levy Bros. 101
 Miss Maud Smith was a visitor from Millican yesterday.
 Lawn mowers—the Pennsylvania and other good brands. 97 J. A. Myers.
 J. M. Lawless of the Macy community was in the city yesterday.

Fresh tomatoes, peas, strawberries, etc., at Howell Bros. 66
 Morgan Closs of the Tabor community was in the city yesterday.

Newest designs of Carpet Pattern Matting at Levy Bros. 101

C. M. Spell arrived from Houston yesterday on a visit to his family.

Mrs. Jno. A. Moore returned yesterday after a visit in San Antonio.

For Sale—Good, gentle, family buggy horse. Apply at this office. 101

Mrs. C. C. Ganaway was in from the Tabor community yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Miss Helen Carroll returned from Waco yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. D. Robinson of the Wixon community was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gray were visitors from the College community yesterday.

See the new line tin nickel plated ware—something new and nobby. J. A. Myers.

Mrs. C. A. Buchanan and Miss Agnes Register were visitors from Kurten yesterday.

Mrs. W. A. Eidson and Miss Eula Eidson were visitors from Wellborn yesterday.

Wanted—500 counterpanes; plain 15 cents; fringed 20 cents. Bryan Steam Laundry. 102

S. H. Alphin returned yesterday to San Antonio after spending a few days in this city.

See the New Detroit Vapor gasoline cook stoves. They are the stoves for summer cooking. 97 J. A. Myers.

Everything in jewelry, silverware, cut glass and hand painted china at Jno. M. Caldwell's. 99

Mrs. H. H. Prewett returned to Franklin yesterday after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Kate Wilcox.

Mrs. O. D. Ferguson returned to Palestine yesterday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis.

Miss Ada Field of Villa Maria Academy returned yesterday from a visit to her home at Calvert.

The best of good liquor drink at J. A. Myers. 84tf

A. B. Caldwell of Navasota was in the city yesterday.

Fresh shipments Blankies Candy, cakes and crackers. 100 Howell Bros.

Marriage license: Sam Wilson and Lattie Pearson.

G. G. Loftin was in from the Brazos yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Buchanan returned from Marlin yesterday.

For the best of everything in life insurance see R. G. Tabor. d 11

Mrs. T. J. Caywood was a visitor from Deep Hollow yesterday.

Clothes of Quality

If you are particular about the kind of Clothes you wear and want to be sure that they are correct in pattern, fit and finish, you should come here for

..Your Spring Suit..

Look through our immense stock. Try on the garments. Notice the fit and hang, the handsome patterns, the general stylish appearance of our Suits, then ask the price—and we'll not worry about where you'll buy your Spring Suit.

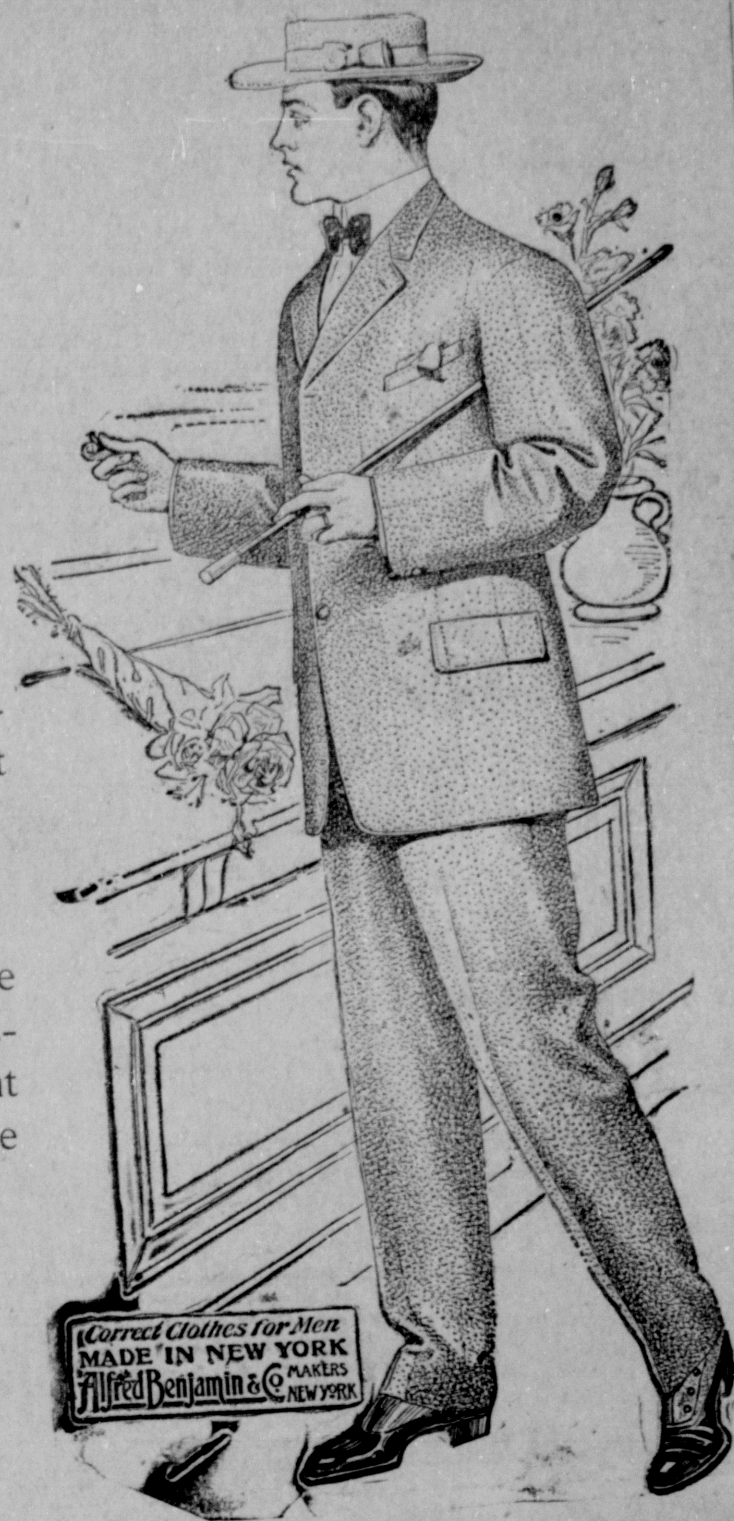
We have already solved the clothes question for most Bryan men this season. Let us help you.

Spring Sack Suits

In an immense variety of handsome spring patterns, covering every taste, Worsteds, Serges and Velours, tailored in the height of fashion—Exclusive styles that can only be seen at this store.

\$10 TO \$25

CORRECT CLOTHES FOR MEN
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Locals

Call for Pretoria Rye. 84tf
 Baby Go-carts, large variety, at Levy Bros. 101
 G. Minkert returned to Hearne yesterday.
 Garden and lawn rubber hose. Fresh at J. A. Myers. 97
 Miss Mary Brogdon is visiting at Beaumont.
 Refrigerators and Ice Boxes at Levy Bros. 101
 M. B. Easters of Kurten was in the city yesterday.
 Long straight cane fishing poles only 10 ts. 97 J. A. Myers.
 Tom Wilson was here from Navasota yesterday.
 Lawn Swings and Rocking Settees at Levy Bros. 101
 Alex Ewing of Myers was in the city yesterday.
 I. O. Ferguson returned from Waco yesterday.
 M. S. Broach of Tabor was in the city yesterday.
 Dr. J. W. Cavitt, Office at Jenkin's drugstore. 81tf
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George G. Chance returned to the State University at Austin yesterday after a visit to his parents.

Miss Toressa Tolbert of San Marcos, after a visit to Miss Jessie Garth, left yesterday to visit in Waco.

H. Grelan, who has been seriously ill for some time, is reported much improved and recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schultz and Mrs. Henrietta Mecher of Marlin arrived yesterday afternoon on a visit.

J. H. Ford and sister, Mrs. C. E. Jowers, returned to Millican yesterday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Higgs.

Miss Emmie Fountain of College, and a student of the state university at Austin, was in the city yesterday visiting relatives.

Mrs. F. F. Hooper and Miss Bessie Hooper returned to Calvert yesterday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Waldrop.

We sell or rent sewing machines on small monthly payments. T. A. Saterwhite at Mrs. E. White's furniture store d56tf

Mrs. W. C. Friley of Huntsville, mother of Mrs. J. Webb Howell, arrived yesterday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howell.

For fine fresh bred cakes of all kinds call at the Texas Bakery. Careful attention to special orders. Phone 86. Mrs. Otto Boehme. d 11

The Knights of Pythias held a meeting last night for initiation work. H. O. Jones was given the second degree and Joe Howard and Robt. McCoy the first.

Let us do your linen. We do 50 pieces of mangle work for 50 cents. Office second door south of Exchange hotel. Phone 141. Bryan Steam Laundry. 102

M. H. James, Capt. A. F. Wilson, R. G. Tabor, Dr. A. L. Mondrick and W. H. Cole have gone on a fishing trip to the Trinity river with parties from Oakwoods.

Whether you wish to buy or not, it will be worth the trouble of a visit to John M. Caldwell's jewelry store to see his elegant new line of cut glass, hand painted China and sterling silver. 99

The vital statistics of Brazos county for the month of March, as indicated by the records in the county clerk's office, show a total of thirty-four births and nine deaths.

Call at Caldwell's and examine his new stock of cut glass Vases, water sets, bowls and other articles, too numerous to mention in detail. The goods have just been received. 99

Lost—Yesterday between residences of R. M. Wilson and B. F. Leman, a brown coat, gray stripe, satin lined, from coat suit. Reward for return to Guy Bittle at H. & T. C. depot. 98

NOTICE, LADIES.

Skirts scoured and pressed, \$1.00; Skirts dry cleaned and pressed, 75c; Skirts pressed only, 60c.

Phone 266. Bryan Pressing Club, E. L. Beard Prop. 98

John M. Caldwell has just received the handsomest assortment of cut glass ever shown in Bryan. The lot includes some exquisite vases of different designs, as high as \$75.00 each. 99

SERIOUS ACCUSATION.

Three Boys Charged With Setting Fire to Clothes of Another Lad.

Chicago, April 2.—Three boys, whose ages range from twelve to fourteen years, were arrested, charged with setting fire to the clothing of Michael Lacoco, a seventeen-year-old boy, while the latter lay asleep in a hallway. The boys gave their names as Lester Hall, Walter Leonard and James White. According to the story of one of the boys, they wanted to see some fun. They poured the contents of a bottle of alcohol over the sleepers' clothing and as the flames enveloped his body Lacoco awakened and after a futile attempt to extinguish the flames, rushed into the street, where he fell unconscious. He was taken to a hospital.

CAR SHORTAGE CAUSE.

Movement For Water Transportation Among Louisiana Lumbermen.

New Orleans, April 2.—The car shortage has caused a movement for water transportation among Louisiana lumbermen. It is announced that about 2,000,000 feet of lumber are now being prepared for shipment on Mississippi river points as far north as Cairo, Ill. Much of this state is honeycombed with waterways capable of floating barges, upon which it is proposed to transport lumber northward.

MUCH WHISKY SEIZED.

Female Bootlegger Said to Have Had Forty Half Pints.

Denison, April 2.—Officers of the Territory state 125 gallons of whisky were found on an excursion train which left Denison Sunday night for South McAlester. United States deputy marshals were kept busy opening trunks and boxes and smashing bottles. One female bootlegger had in a valise forty half pints.

Charter Approved.

Austin, April 2.—The attorney general approved the charter of the Kansas City, Oklahoma and Gulf railway, which is to run from a point in Fanin county to Athens, Henderson county, 110 miles. The capital stock is \$125,000.

ATTENTION, ELKS.



There will be an adjourned session of the lodge tonight at 8:30 o'clock for initiation work. A large attendance is desired.

F. C. Oliver, Exalted Ruler.

Ladies, I will spend Wednesday in Dallas and will take pleasure in filling all orders. Mrs. Mary Lawrence, Representing Titche-Goettinger Co., Dallas. 98

ATTENTION KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Regular meeting at 8 o'clock tonight. Initiation work in first and second degrees. A full attendance is desired.

W. S. Wilson, Jr., C. C.

We are selling a car of American Beauty Flour every two weeks, which shows the immense popularity of this superior brand.

E. J. Fountain. 97

Stricken with Apoplexy.

Havana, April 2.—Simon Varona, president of the Conservative National party, was stricken with apoplexy.

Elgin Butter Sale.

Elgin, Ill., April 2.—Butter sales the past week were 547,000 pounds.

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Signatures of Lieutenant Governor and
Speaker Removed From Bill.

Austin, April 2.—After considerable
opposition the house adopted Senator
Looney's concurrent resolution au-
thorizing the erasures of the names of
Lieutenant Governor Davidson and
Speaker Love to the one-board medi-
cal bill, which was recalled by the
legislature from the governor for cor-
rection. Judge Jenkins opposed the
resolution, saying that after the bill
had been signed by the presiding offi-
cers of both branches and had been
in the hands of the governor, it is too
late to recall it. The speaker over-
ruled this point and the resolution
was adopted.

A motion prevailed in the house to
have Hon. W. J. Bryan's speech de-
livered in the house last Friday print-
ed in the journal.

Another effort was made in the
house to rescind its action to adjourn
sine die on April 6, but the effort
failed. Representative Gilmore in-
troduced a resolution with others to
rescind the action on the grounds
that it would be a violation of the con-
stitution to force the governor to call
an extra session. Motion to table
resolution prevailed by a vote of 60
to 44. The house determined to stand
pat on this proposition.

Most of Tuesday's session of the
house was devoted to consideration of
the James blanket primary election
bill, which was up on final passage.
An amendment was adopted including
United States senators in the list to
be elected by the people.

The house concurred in the senate
amendment to the anti-lobby bill and
now it goes to the governor.

The house committee on peniten-
tiaries reported favorably on the bill
by Representatives Lively and Terrell
of McLennan to abolish the present
leasing system of state convicts.

The senate passed finally the senate
joint resolution to amend the consti-
tution providing for increase of gov-
ernor's salary from \$4,000 to \$8,000
and fixing the salary of the lieutenant
governor at \$2,500 by a vote of 23 to 7.

Senator Hudspeth's bill restricting
the granting of new trials and appeals
in criminal cases passed finally.

The senate concurred in the house
amendments to the senate pharmacy
bill.

One important bill passed finally in
the senate was the one prohibiting by
injunction the sale of intoxicating
liquors in local option territory.

The senate accepted an invitation
to attend in a body the battle of flow-
ers and other celebrations of San An-
tonio on April 20. An invitation was
presented by the people of San An-
tonio.

Senator Brachfield made an effort
to get up his 2-cent passenger fare
bill, but the senate refused to suspend
pending business to take it up by a
vote of 12 to 14.

The remainder of the Tuesday
morning session of the senate was
consumed in consideration of Senator
Griggs' bill providing for better sani-
tary conditions in hotels and boarding
houses. This is the bill which pro-
vides hotels shall have sheets nine feet
in length.

HONEST AGREEMENT.

President Roosevelt Thinks This Best
Way to Regulate Rates.

Washington, April 2.—President
Roosevelt has decided not to accept
the invitation of the Illinois Manu-
facturers' association to deliver a speech
at Springfield on the railroad situation.
He addressed a letter to C. H. Smith,
president of the association stating
that it would be impossible for him to
accept their invitation extended last
week because he did not feel that he
had anything to say at this time. He
said the best possible regulation of
rates would be that secured by an
honest agreement between the rail-
roads themselves to carry out the law.
The power vested in the government
to put a stop to agreements to detri-
ment of the public should, in his judg-
ment, be accompanied by power to
permit, under specific conditions and
careful supervision, agreements clear-
ly in the interest of the public.

None Returned to Work.

St. Louis, April 2.—Ignoring the
threat made Saturday night by the
owners of the breweries to declare
open shops unless the striking em-
ployees resume work pending arbitra-
tion of the wage scale dispute the
malsters, brewers, bottlers, firemen,
oilers and laborers assembled Monday
morning in various halls for further
discussion of the situation. None re-
turned to work. The boss brewers also
held a conference.

Plea of Guilty Entered.

Chicago, April 2.—F. A. Holbrook,
secretary of the Combination School
and Church Furniture company, who
was recently indicted by the Federal
grand jury on the charge of acting in
restraint of trade, entered a plea of
guilty before Judge Landis. Sentence
was deferred. Pleas of nolle conten-
dere were entered by various com-
panies indicted at the same time.

Peter Maher Knocked Out.

Hot Springs, April 2.—Peter Maher,
the one-time aspirant to the heavy-
weight championship honors, was
knocked out by Marvin Hart of Loui-
siana in the second round of what was
scheduled to be a twenty-round bout.

Aged Colonel Dies.

Charlotte, N. C., April 2.—Colonel
Calvin C. Dowles, for twenty years,
up to 1886, assayer of the United States
mint here, died at his home in States-
ville, aged eighty-six.

Gotch Defeats "Farmer" Burns.

Chicago, April 2.—Frank Gotch de-
feated "Farmer" Burns here at catch-
as-catch-can wrestling in two straight
falls.

CREATED SENSATION.

Document Signed "E. H. Harriman"
Has Been Given Out.

New York, April 2.—A sensation
was created here Tuesday by the pub-
lication of a letter written in Decem-
ber and addressed to Sidney Webster
of New York and signed "E. H. Harri-
man." The letter is quite lengthy and
in substance says President Roosevelt
requested Mr. Harriman to raise a
fund for the Republican campaign.
The letter says Harriman subscribed
\$50,000 and got other subscriptions. It
was said the president agreed to ap-
point Senator Depew ambassador to
France, said a friend of Depew and
others. Together with (Harriman's)
subscription a fund of \$200,000 was
raised and given to Treasurer Bliss.

DECLARED AN UNTRUTH.

President Says by Rights a Shorter
Word Ought to Be Used.

Washington, April 2.—President
Roosevelt gave out a statement in re-
ference to the letter of E. H. Harriman



WHEN THE PRESIDENT IS STRENUOUS.

just published. He characterized the
statements made in the letter that
the president requested Mr. Harriman
to raise a fund for the Republican
campaign as a "deliberate and wilful
untruth. By rights it should be char-
acterized by an even shorter and
more ugly word."

MEXICAN CONGRESS OPENS.

Diaz Deals With Commercial, Indus-
trial and Other Questions.

City of Mexico, April 2.—President
Diaz opened the second session of the
Twenty-third congress of the repub-
lic of Mexico. In a lengthy message
dealing with the commercial, indus-
trial, educational and financial ques-
tions, the chief executive sets forth the needs
and contemplated moves to be carried
out. He makes no mention of the war
in Central America.

On foreign relations President Diaz
says: "It is gratifying to me to state
that our foreign relations, without ex-
ception, continue to be characterized
by the greatest harmony and cordial-
ity."

Livestock Quarantine Proclamation.

Washington, April 2.—Secretary of
Agriculture Wilson has just issued a
livestock quarantine proclamation, ef-
fective April 15. The territory included
in the proclamation is the same as
last year, but the regulations accom-
panying the proclamation, which will
be issued in a few days, embrace new
matter.

Harriman Re-Elected.

New Orleans, April 2.—E. H. Harri-
man was re-elected president of the
Morgan, Louisiana and Texas Railroad
and Steamship company at a meeting
of the board of directors of the road
here. Thornwell Fay was elected vice
president. The Morgan road is part
of the Southern Pacific system.

Only Ten Per Cent.

Fort Worth, April 2.—Secretary H.
B. Dorsey of the Texas Grain Dealers'
association, says the wheat and oat
crop this year will be only 10 per cent
of the normal crop owing to greenbug
ravages.

Bonilla Still Surrounded.

Washington, April 2.—President Bo-
nilla of Honduras is still surrendered
at Amalapa, according to dispatches
received at the state department, and
his surrender is expected at any time.

BREVITIES BUNCHED.

Texas treasury March receipts were
\$1,613,020 and disbursements \$1,429,-
365.

At Chickasha, I. T., Mrs. Lizzie
Herdon attempted to suicide with
carbolic acid.

A cat near Norman, Okla., whose
kittens died, is nursing three young
rabbits her owner found.

Northern Texas Traction company
may construct a line between Cle-
burne and Glenrose, Somervell county.

Caldwell Bros. are cutting their al-
falfa near Ennis, Tex. This is twenty-
nine days earlier than ever before
known.

King Edward and Queen Alexan-
dra will not visit Madrid until autumn.
Mrs. A. B. Turner dropped dead at
Greenville, Tex.

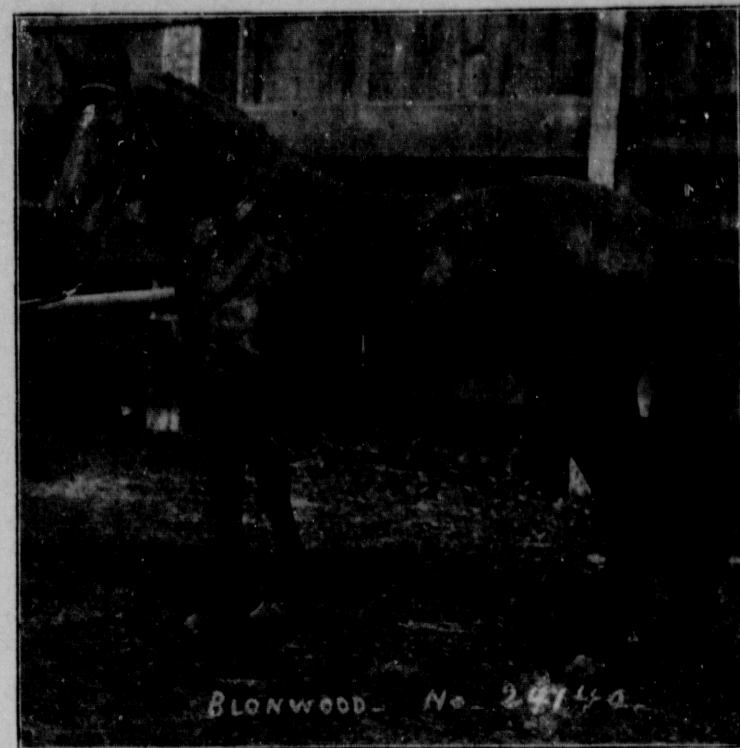
An injunction was granted at Beaum-
ont prohibiting a moving picture
show exhibiting scenes leading up to
the Thaw-White tragedy.

For the third consecutive time
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pointed by President McKinley Oct.
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